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In addition to all the improvements which have been mentioned above, the village of Vesper is under-taking to finish off one portion of the town for an attractive park. Two hundred trees will be planted this fall and numerous other things will be done to make the park a feature to be proud of.

A noticeable enthusiasm on the part of each and every Vesper inhabitant seems enough to insure a rapid growth within the coming three years. Whether or not by 1913 the population will reach 1500 is of course difficult to state, at any rate if one may judge by the recent rapid strides which have been made, the idea is by no means an absurd one.

CIRCUS TRAIN

WRECKED AT BABCOCK

One of the worst wrecks that ever happened in this locality occurred at Babcock on Tuesday morning when the morning passenger struck the Campbell Bros. circus train, killing one man and seriously wounding nine others. There were also two of the elephants so badly hurt that they had to be killed. Six canaries were killed and several of the Shetland ponies, while other animals were hurt to some extent.

Immediately after the crash the wrecked cars caught fire, but a general destruction of the train was prevented by the circus men who turned out with buckets and carried water to extinguish the fire.

The accident happened half a mile below Babcock where the track branches, one branch leading to Tomah and the other to New Lisbon. The circus train was on its way to Sparta and had taken the Tomah branch and had got into that track about half a dozen car lengths, when they were struck by the passenger train which was coming north on the track from New Lisbon.

It was reported that the passenger train was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when it struck the circus train, and after looking the wreck over it was easy to believe that it was going at least that fast.

Where the passenger engine struck the circus train several cars were completely demolished, so much so that it was impossible to tell how many cars there had been there originally, as it was one mass of wreckage, splintered wood, twisted iron, dead animals and debris of all kinds, while the passenger engine was turned over on its side and badly battered up. The circus train was moving only slowly at the time of the accident, or there might have been more of the cars wrecked.

Before the smashup occurred the engineer and fireman of the passenger train jumped from their engine and thus saved themselves from injury. It was stated that the engineer of the passenger had taken to the woods, and it was probably just as well that he did as the circus band felt pretty sore about the matter and there might have been trouble had they got hold of the engineer.

There is no question but what the circus train was running on the time of the passenger in trying to get onto the Tomah track before the passenger car came along, but under any circumstances the passenger engineer should have brought his train to a full stop before reaching the crossing, and had he done this there would have been no trouble.

A large number of people visited the scene of the wreck from this city, and it was probably as gruesome a spectacle as is often seen, and while it was a bad wreck, an inspection of the premises impressed one with the fact that it might have been a great deal worse. Had the circus train been struck nearer the rear end where the couches in which the people travel are located, the loss of life would have been something appalling, as the cars that were demolished had only a few men in them, who took care of the animals.

The man who was killed was named John McGee, and his remains were brought to this city placed in the undertaking room of Ragan & Shaver where they were prepared for burial, and an effort has since been made to locate some of his friends or relatives, but without success. He stated before his death that his sister was living at St. Cloud, Minn., but at this writing it has been impossible to get any trace of her. The wounded men were placed on a train the same afternoon and taken to the hospital at Tomah.

It is reported that two of the men were so badly hurt that it was impossible for them to live, but at least reports they were still alive.

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Rehman-Getke.

On Thursday afternoon, August 18th, Miss Anna Rehman and August Getke were united in marriage at the east side German Lutheran church, Rev. Mack performing the ceremony. The couple was attended by Messrs. Franz Getke and Henry Rehman and the Misses Louise Turhan and Marie Getke. Mr. and Mrs. Getke will make their home in this city.

Married at Duluth.

Miss Amelia Balbach and Irwin J. Nelson, both of Stevens Point and having a number of friends in this city, were married last week at Duluth where Mr. Nelson has been the manager of a barber shop for several months.

Obituary.

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Market Report.

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"Then we turn here and should reach Craventown in three-quarters of an hour. 'Hush,' he said as she thanked him. "Trouble! I am ashamed of myself. Don't make me feel more so. Tell me, if I am not too curious, where you are bound for?"

"To London to-night—and to America the day after to-morrow."

Tempest caught his breath. "You meant you were serious? You came to England to see me, and are going back on the first ship?"

"Yes," she said simply.

"But I never heard such a venture! Is all reporting work like that? Seven thousand miles for—"

"Success—yes," she finished. "I suppose so. It seemed to them worth it. I should, of course, have succeeded."

"But you have traveled before—you know Europe."

"Oh, yes," she said. "I was in school in France. I have traveled, but I have never been in England."

"You must stay," he cried enthusiastically. "England's a garden—this country especially lovely. Why Penrhyn castle is within two miles of me—Raynes and the forest of Raynes."

"I know," said his companion. "I was to the west, low abovin' to the sea, and she repented one of Tempest's sonnets written 15 years before. Her manner of speaking it was delightful, understanding, and simple."

He said nothing when she ceased. He did not speak again until they had entered the small hamlet of Craventown and drew up to the station under a red lantern that swung from the eaves to the rain.

Two men in raincoats stood smoking their pipes under the roof shelter. At Tempest's "hallo" one of them came out to the platform edge.

"Is that you, Mr. Tempest, sir?"

"Yes, hold the mare, will you, Ramsdill?"

"There'll be no London train to-night, sir—a accident. Slug Morges way. No trains out before to-morrow."

There was a moment's silence on the part of the people in the trap. Then the lady said: "But there are other trains, surely, to other stations?"

"None other way to-night, m'm," responded Mr. Ramsdill.

Tempest stood up in the cart and shook out his hat, from which the water ran. Ramsdill at the mare's head patted her neck; the sweat running from her wet sides was drowned back on her by the rain.

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She thanked him and refused to hear of it. "I shall stay in some one of those houses if they will have me."

"It's got out of the cart."

"There's a fire in the station, Ramsdill!"

"Yes, sir."

"Let me help you out, Miss Carew. Please come in for a few moments and let us see each other, and get out of this infernal dark."

She presented a pitiable sight. Drenched through, her hair clinging to her face, her clothing clinging to her like a vine to a tree. He exclaimed with contrition and anger and drew her to the fire, into the red glow.

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Improvements furnish a few comforts and all something to admire.

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An attendant should be on hand at the time of birth, for a little timely help has saved many a valuable colt.

Clean water, pure air and sunshine are all free; and they are necessary in the production of pure, wholesome milk.

Pigs, and in fact all hogs, should have ready access at all times to salt and ashes. Charred corn cobs are also excellent.

Filth and dampness are great hindrances. The first foates vermin; the second brings most dangerous alliments to fowls.

Some people claim that a hog is a scavenger by nature, but he certainly thrives better on clean feed and decent surroundings.

Watch for cabbage bugs and cabbage worms. These insects usually cause trouble when the weather gets dry and food is scarce.

The dominant secret of successful swine raising is to keep the pigs that come in a given season of the year as uniform in size as possible.

All of the corn ground should be manured or otherwise well fertilized for a large yield, and no farmer should be content with a small yield.

Eternal vigilance is the price of having the best; so one must watch for insect pests and be ready with insecticides and fungicides to destroy them.

Many farmers for the past few years are diskiling their corn ground before plowing, claiming that it not only benefits the soil, but makes plowing easier.

Soy beans are apt to be low in germination unless the seed is fresh and has been properly stored. It is well to germinate all seed before planting.

A ration of corn, oats and timothy is not satisfactory for producing fleshy horses for market, but may be materially improved by the addition of oil meal.

The cow's appetite is important, but it should not be abused. As much harm comes from allowing her to eat too much as comes from not allowing her to eat enough.

It is a good plan to keep all vegetation down around the hives, so that it will not interfere with the flight of the working bees, their hive and the feeding ground.

The best dairymen now practise intensive methods with their cows, milking them twice the greatest amount of milk possible by liberal feeding and the best of shelter and other care.

Geese may be picked every six weeks in warm weather, but they must be well fed. When they are plucked often they do not lay, as the growth of new feathers weakens and debilitates them.

Few sheep have as good care as they ought to have. Too many farmers leave them to shift for themselves. They can't do their best that way. Make much of your sheep. They are one of the best kind of property on the farm.

The texture of butter depends partly on the animal, partly on feed, and partly upon the temperature of the cream when churned. Cows that give the richest milk make the most solid butter. In summer the feeding of a small quantity of cotton seed meal will help to make the butter firm.

Bisulphide of carbon on a piece of burlap or oakum, thrown quickly down a pocket gopher's burrow, preferably when the soil is moist. Professor Washburn, Minnesota entomologist, says he killed many pocket gophers in his experiment work. He uses half a pint of bisulphide at a burrow.

All soils with a retentive subsoil should be well drained, and work should be most perfectly planned and executed. Should water stand for hours on the land a season's crop may be lost. Soil that is well drained will allow the heat and air to penetrate to greater depth and will withstand drought better than one that is not.

Attractive flower beds add much to the charm of the flower garden. Colours, salvia and phlox are well adapted for bedding purposes. Plants may be bedded now if they are watered occasionally during summer.

Soil is composed of minute particles of disintegrated rock. These rock particles contain chemical substances. These substances must be in solution. Hence the first great office of cultivation is to conserve heated moisture in the soil to aid in making soluble mineral plant food.

Sacks are cheaper than hay.

Post Toasties are crisp and flavoury—golden-brown, fluffy bits that almost melt in the mouth.

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POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.

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A Saucer,

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Breakfast in a minute, and you have a meal as delightful as it is wholesome.

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Battle Creek, Mich.

Voice

Johns—I heard you tell that man to never darken your door again. Trying to marry your daughter?

Thomas—No; he's a painter and he painted my front door ebony instead of oak.

A BAD THING TO NEGLECT.

Don't neglect the kidneys when you notice lack of control over the secretions. Passages become too frequent or scanty; urine is discolored and sediment appears. No medicine for such troubles like Doan's Kidney Pills. They quickly remove kidney disorders.

A Doctor, 211 N. Grant St., Worcester, O., says: "The doctor diagnosed my case as gravel, but my agony increased under their treatment, and I soon became too weak to stand alone. I had given up all hope of living more than a few weeks at the best. I was strongly urged to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking a few, I passed two gravel stones. After that, I improved rapidly until cured."

Remember the name—Doan's.

For sale by all dealers, 60 cents a box. Foster-Mulvan Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Man wants more and more of a reward each year. Familiarly breeds contempt, even of a man's own nature.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pillows regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and kidneys. Sugar-coated tiny granules, easy to take. Do not gorge.

Cleaned Out.

"I can't pay this taxicab bill."

"Then I'll take you to a police station."

"I'll pay it. But take me to the pothouse and leave me there."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Reformation.

"You say you are a reformer?"

"Yep," replied the local boss; "of the deepest dye."

"But you were not always so!"

"No. The reformers reformed our town last year and I want to reform it back again."

119 Years Old When He Died.

Paddy Blake, who was born at Balliglygreen, parish of Kilmessagh, County Clare, Ireland, 119 years ago, has died in the Corofin Union hospital. Paddy had a clear memory of events that happened a hundred years ago and was one of those who went to see Daniel O'Connell passing through Balliglygreen on his way to Ennis for the great election of 1828.

What They Did With Them.

An American who spends much of his time in England tells of a cockney who went to a dealer in dogs and thus described what he wanted. "I'll want a kind of dog about so 'igh an' so long. It's a kind of gr'y'ound, an' ay't it ain't a gr'y'ound, because 'tyle is shorter nor any o' these gr'y'ounds, an' 't's nose is shorter, an' 't ain't so slim round the body. But still 't's a kind o' gr'y'ound. Do you keep such dogs?" "We do not," said the dog man. "We drown 'em."

It Wouldn't Stretch.

The assassin was doing the very best he could, but the farmer was shrewd and wary.

"How many acres of farming land have you?" he inquired warily.

"'Bout 20, I guess," said Roben.

"Twenty? Why, it looks to me like nearer 120. Come, now, can't you increase that a little? There are surely more than 20 acres in that tract. Suppose you stretch that a little."

"Say, fellow," said the farmer, "this ain't no rubber plantation."—Harper's Monthly.

It Was the Other Way.

"Mr. Jones," said the senior partner in the wholesale dry goods house to the drummer who stood before him in the private office, "you have been with us for the past ten years."

"Yes, sir."

"And you ought to know the rules of the house. One of them is that no man of ours shall take a side line."

"But I have none, sir."

"But you have lately got married."

"Yes; but can you tell that a side line, Mr. Jones?"

"Technically, it may not be."

"You needn't fear that having a wife is going to bring me in off a trap any sooner."

"Oh, I don't. It is the fear that having a wife at home you'll want to stay out on the road altogether!"

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Grand Rapids Tribune

BY DRUMB & SUTOR.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 17, 1910

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Advertising Rates.—For display matter a flat rate of 10 cents an inch is charged. The columns in The Tribune are 24 inches long, making a one column advertisement cost \$2.40 for one insertion. Reserves, resolutions of respect, and all notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

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NAMES WILL ROTATE ON PRIMARY BALLOT

The ballots in the coming primary election will be known as rotation ballots, the result of a new feature in the arrangement of the candidate's names in the case where there is more than one running for the same office. This feature had its origin in a new law. Heretofore the names were placed according to alphabetical order and the one on top was generally regarded as having an advantage over the others. The new law provides a remedy for this, giving every candidate an equal chance. It requires that the names be in rotation, for instance: There being two candidates the name of the first one will be on top in the first precinct, the other in the second place; in the next precinct, the positions will be exchanged; in the third precinct they will be in the original positions, in the fourth the positions will be exchanged again, and so on up to the last precinct.

In the cities the order of the election precincts will be according to the number of wards, in the towns and villages according to the alphabetical list of the towns and villages, for state officers, senatorial and congressional districts it will be according to the population of the various districts.

The sections of the law covering the county part of the ticket is as follows:

"For the purpose of determining the order in which the names of candidates for each office for whom nomination papers have been filed in the office of the county clerk shall prepare a list of the election precincts of the county. Such list shall be prepared by arranging the various towns, cities and villages of the county in alphabetical order, and the wards or precincts of each city, village or town, the precincts of each assembly district within the county shall be arranged in the same manner."

The county clerk shall arrange the names of the precincts for each office for which nomination papers have been filed in his office alphabetically for the first precinct in the list, thereafter for each succeeding precinct; the name appearing first for each office in the last preceding precinct shall be placed last."

Democrats of Wisconsin.

The platform adopted by the Democrats of Wisconsin in their convention and the ticket which will go before the September primaries are sufficient argument to call for strong support of every Democrat in this broad state.

Every true Democrat can support the ticket and can argue well for the platform. It was not the kind of a platform that will appeal to those who are Democrats because it is profitable to be Democrats, but it is the kind of a ticket that will appeal to the great masses that comprise the Democracy in this state. Those who believe in special privileges for the few at the expense of the many, will not be found advocating Democratic success this fall. The party will be the stronger with more of the people on its side than for casting their lot with the party that can best serve them—the opposition.

The men who are largely in control of the convention, those who at the finish stood up and fought for the masses, are progressives and they may well be the leaders of the movement and can invite the voters of Wisconsin to join with them, and do it with a firm conviction that such a step is in the interests of the people of the whole state.

Every Democratic editor in Wisconsin can take up his pen and feel that it is doing his duty to support the ticket, in preference to the Democracy as it is given in the platform of 1910.—*Sheboygan Daily Press*.

New Motor Boat Law.

Launch owners will do well to take note of the new motor boat law which recently went into effect. Under it every boat no matter what size must carry a fire extinguisher. They must also carry an eye preserver or other device approved by the proper government official for use in case of fire. Craft over twenty-six feet in length must in addition to the regular whistle equipment be provided with a fog horn. All sizes of launches must carry a rear white light, so that a light on a boat is made visible at night for every safety.

These rules apply to launches whether engaged in passenger traffic, private launches, freight carrying or any other business. These are the salient features of the new law. There are numerous others with which local launch owners should be acquainted.

No specific means of promptly extinguishing burning gasoline are prescribed by the law. Besides the usual fire-extinguishers, suitable chemicals or bags of coarse flour or sand will serve the purpose.

Proposed County Option Law.

The proposed County Option law, as now in existence, gives to each county in the state of Wisconsin, the power to submit to its citizens (when 20 per cent. or more of the voters at the last preceding election for governor, so petition) the question of whether the county shall or shall not permit the licensing of retail dealers in alcoholic drinks as beverages (saloons) within the county. After the law becomes effective, then, in case the voters in the county decide that licensing of saloons is undesirable, no charge from the present situation results. In case the vote is against licensing the saloons, no licenses may be issued for a period of two years, within the county so deciding.

They Have a Definite Purpose

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Terre Haute Ind., tells the result in her case. "After suffering for many years from a condition of kidney trouble and spending much money for so-called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to be up and attend to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

Electricity at White House. Electricity is the only illuminant used at the White House, and in many respects the electrical installation is the most elaborate and complete in any residence in the country.

"Lest We Forget."

In order that the democrats of Wood county may not forget what will be demanded of them at the September primary as a result of the twenty per cent feature of the primary election law, the following figures furnished by Chairman Davies, of the State Central Committee are again printed as a reminder:

Dem.	20 per cent.	Vote '08 necessary
Arpin	59	11
Auburndale	81	4
Auburndale, Vil.	17	4
Cary	3	1
Cameron	23	4
Drummond	20	5
Dexter	24	18
Grand Rapids	86	87
Grand Rapids City	435	
Ward 1	51	
Ward 2	65	
Ward 3	62	
Ward 4	64	
Ward 5	56	
Ward 6	63	
Ward 7	50	
Ward 8	36	
Hanson	51	
Miles	9	
Lincoln	121	
Marsfield	99	
Marsfield, City	642	
Ward 1	164	
Ward 2	86	
Ward 3	102	
Ward 4	130	
Ward 5	98	
Ward 6	72	
Milford, Vil.	103	
Nekoosa, Vil.	169	
Port Edwards	54	
Port Edwards, Vil.	36	
Pittsville, City	26	
Ward 1	9	
Ward 2	7	
Ward 3	10	
Ward 4	48	
Richfield	38	
Rock	26	
Rodolph	93	
Saratoga	32	
Sneeca	31	
Sherry	40	
Sigol	131	
Wood	41	

SIGEL

Quite a number of the boys around here attended the ball game at Jorginski's Sunday afternoon.

Misses Martha Ronde and Clara Kronholz were guests of Clara Matzke Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Leutheberg expects to leave for Seattle, Wash., in a few days.

Claus Johnson is in the hospital at Chicago where he expects to undergo an operation for stomach trouble.

John Granger has been busy fighting fire on his hay marsh.

Oras. Ricke entertained his cousin from Milwaukee this week.

Quite a number of the young people from this neighborhood attended the dance at the pavilion Friday evening. Everyone reports a good time.

A large number of young people spent Sunday evening at Carl Kromholm's. The evening was spent in playing games and everyone enjoyed the evening.

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Typhoid Medicine with you when starting on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or steamers. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by all dealers.

FOURTEEN MILE CREEK

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Misses Hazel and Avril Jero of New London are here visiting with their mother, Israel Jero and family.

Charles and Clyde Winegarden of Almond visited their parents over Sunday.

Israel Jero was a Grand Rapids shopkeeper Monday.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown and daughter Bernice of Grand Rapids are visiting friends and relatives here.

The party at M. S. Winegarden's was well attended and everyone reported a good time.

Mrs. Louisa Hufman of Wild Rose is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Jero.

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RUDOLPH

Seth Whitman is driving team for Mrs. F. P. Daly.

Mrs. James Hunter and niece, Etta Hunter, departed on Friday for Northfield, Minn., after a week's visit at the Ed. Warner home.

Mrs. John Bankenbush and daughter were shopping in your city Friday.

This section was visited by a nice crew Monday evening which cheered the hearts of the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lomay have gone to housekeeping in the rooms over the saloon building in Grand Rapids.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Announcement of J. W. Cochran

To the Voters of Wood County:

Gentlemen:—I am a candidate for the office of district attorney of Wood County and respectfully request your favorable consideration for nomination on the republican ticket, at the September primary, for such office.

If elected, I will look after the duties of the office carefully, diligently and faithfully. I do not intend to use my office to help or incur any unnecessary expense.

Trusting that the reader will kindly consider this card as a personal visit. I am very respectfully yours,

J. Wilber Cochran.—tf.

Of course.

"Don't you like this quotation from Shakespeare?—The friends that hast and their adoption tried, strangle them to the soul with hoops of steel?" he asked, scowling. "I think hoops of gold would be better," said the girl.

Electricity at White House.

Electricity is the only illuminant used at the White House, and in many respects the electrical installation is the most elaborate and complete in any residence in the country.

MEEHAN

(Too Late for Last Week.)

The Meehan base ball team went to Kellner Saturday, Aug. 16, to play for championship of the two teams. Kellner stood ready to give Meehan a shot out in return for the one they received on the Meehan grounds July 31st when the score stood 7 to 0 in favor of Meehan. The boys of both teams worked hard in the ninth inning when the score stood 12 to 17 in favor of the Meehan locals. Kellner felt like the youth when they gave up the fight on their own grounds, when the Meehan team showed them how to do the stent, although the Kellner team was composed of Kellner, Bancroft and Grand Rapids players. One Kellner boy hit hard and made a home run for which he received honors, but their wind pounds were also present and did much at their profession and when a score was made by them the cucking and crowing made by their local hens and roosters could not be discounted by any of our Wisconsin poultry farms. Another act in the game was that Kellner's local pitcher had his finger bent so he was allowed to umpire the game. So it is safe to say that Meehan made all they got. The Kellner team thinks now of laying off and practicing up for next summer's games.

Lon Pike came up here from Adams County and spent Sunday with his son, Orrin.

Miss Addie Parks began another eight months term of school in the Morrill district on Monday.

Mr. W. E. Beadle was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening. Dr. Rogers of Stevens Point was called and she soon recovered.

We were very thankful for a little shower of rain which came Monday night. It did but little good as it is still terrible dry and crops are suffering.

The Beadle family departed on Wednesday for Ladysmith where they will make their future home as Mr. Beadle has a good position in a paper mill there.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relish for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

Adolph Sanger of Nekoosa spent a guest at the home of his son, Edward Sanger the fore part of last week.

Mr. Adamshack of Nekoosa was a visitor at the Sanger home on Sunday.

George Carey of Plainfield visited with his brother, Jesse Carey one day this week.

Mr. Sebright of Union Center was here last Thursday to visit his son, Louis Sebright of this place.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hand on July 29th.

Misses Martha and Tessie Wismer of Chicago are the guests of their sister, Mrs. L. Sebright this week.

Adolph Sanger of Nekoosa spent a guest with his parents here.

August Rutze spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutze.

The corn crop around here looks fine so far, providing we do not have early frosts there is hope of a good crop this year.

J. W. Carey, who has been in the employ of C. S. Lowe, will start for Canada on Tuesday. He will be accompanied by his brother, George Carey of Plainfield. They intend to take up a homestead and locate there if they like the country.

Mr. Bodie of Nekoosa was a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Hass on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Karboskie of Babcock visited friends here on Sunday.

Miss Virona Karboskie of this place was married at the Catholic church at Green Bay to a gentleman of that city. Her numerous friends here wish her a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Daly.

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Give Them Help and many Grand Rapids people will be happy.

They will be happy.

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and keep it regulated by our accurate time-piece. The clock which occupies a conspicuous place over our large cash vault door has U. S. CONSERVATORY TIME furnished by the Western Union Telegraph Company.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

John Young is spending a week in Milwaukee visiting with relatives.

Amos Hinsbrouck transacted business in Chicago several days the past week.

Mr. W. L. Lain returned on Friday from a visit with relatives in Green Bay.

Miss Mayme Dulin of Janesville is a guest at the Michael Dolan home this week.

Mrs. Edward VanWie is spending the week in LaCrosse visiting with her parents.

Louis Lyonsius visited with friends in Waupaca and Merrill several days the past week.

Miss Bertha Gurtler departed on Sunday night for a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Frank Kuhl of Marshfield was a guest at the home of Mrs. John Luman on Thursday.

Miss Matilda Kleveno departed on Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Merrill.

Mrs. Felix LaPoint of Marshfield was a guest at the Seth Spafford home several days last week.

Mrs. Obae Laramie and children departed on Friday for a week's visit with relatives in Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wagner returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Oshkosh.

Willard White, associate editor of the Marshfield News, was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

Remember H. W. Barker's Cousin Romeo for that cough and sore throat. Johnson & Hill Co.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Urbanowski of Stevens Point were Sunday visitors at the Max Urbanowski home.

Mr. Richard Harvey departed on Saturday evening for a visit with relatives in Merrill and Tomahawk.

Mrs. Joe Kuhl of Edgar is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Hoffstatter on Fourth Ave. N.

Miss Anna Duchrow returned to Chicago on Sunday night after spending two weeks visiting with her parents.

Walter Wood returned home last Wednesday after a very pleasant month spent in the hay fields of Minnesota.

Miss Avis Linderman of Colby was a guest at the home of her brother, J. H. Linderman several days ago.

Atty. E. C. Pors, Deputy Sheriff John Schmidt and Dave Horney of Marshfield were in the city on Friday to attend a sheriff's sale.

— Stevens Point Fair, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 28, 29, 30 and 31, 1910. Make a note of it and go.

Walter Gardner departed on Friday night for Seattle, Wash., after spending a week in the city visiting with relatives and looking after some business matters.

Mrs. John Kollenda returned last week from Winona much improved in health, having been in the Winona hospital for some time where she submitted to a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Urbanowski moved into their new home on High street last week which has just been completed by John Kubisak. The house is 20x34, two stories with a 14x20 wing.

John M. Tooling, who has had the management of the Hotel Lincoln at Merrill practically since it has been built, has severed his connections as manager and leaves for Youngstown, Ohio, where he will take the management of a large hotel.

Oscar Lind, who has been confined to his bed for several months with sickness, was able to come down town for the first time last week. Although still very weak, Oscar is getting along nicely which is good news to his many friends about town.

— Guns and ammunition, latest records of all kinds, talking machines, Cutlery, toys and bicycles must be sold at Goo. Krieger & Co's, opposite market square, west side, 2nd.

County Supt. Robt. Morris of Arpin was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday. Mr. Morris informed us that his father-in-law, Claus Johnson of Sigel, who is a patient at Augustana hospital at Chicago, where he was recently operated, is getting along nicely and will soon be able to return home, which is welcome news to Mr. Johnson's friends in this city.

Dysentery is a dangerous disease but can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has been successfully used in nine epidemics of dysentery. It has never been known to fail. It is equally valuable for children and adults and when reduced with water and sweetened, it is pleasant to take. Sold by all dealers.

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Wood County—I wish to announce that I am a candidate on the democratic ticket for the office of sheriff. Should I be fortunate enough to be elected I promise to be faithful to every trust connected with said office.

Michael Mason,
Grand Rapids, Wis.

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of wood County.—I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Wood County at the republican primaries to be held September 6, 1910.

S. L. Brooks,
Grand Rapids, Wis.

For County Clerk.

To the Voters of Wood County—I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Clerk and shall seek the nomination through the regular primary on Sept. 6, 1910, on the republican ticket. If nominated and elected, I shall give my entire time and attention to the faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

F. H. Eberhardt—4th

For District Attorney.

To the Voters of Wood County—I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of Wood County at the republican primaries to be held September 6, 1910.

Chas. E. Brier.

The Fool Hath Said!

Maxim of the Bachelor. "The woman never gets the best of us."

The Winifredian, June 18.

By Prof. M. H. Jackson.

5:45 p. m. Three girls are heading us out to sea. The last word from home is a welcome telegram containing good wishes from thoughtful friends. The voyage is really beginning. During the past week we have been rubbing our eyes occasionally expecting to wake up from a pleasant dream, but the trip is a real one.

The Winifredian is an English boat. Its crew are all Englishmen with broad English accent. At the outset we are flying both the American flag and the Union Jack, but our flag will come down at the three mile limit and we shall be on "English soil" on the high seas.

The sailors say that it will probably be foggy, but it is so clear now that the passengers do not believe them. The sea is smooth, so I shall not be seasick I am sure.

SUNDAY, JUNE 19. I am not hungry today. No, not sick, but if you should see Rowland's store settle slowly twenty feet below grade level and Daly's drug store should rise correspondingly; and down the street the new Wood County National Bank building should try a two stop and even a barn dance with Kruger & Warner's store I am sure you would ask Mr. Welch to take you home even if you were feeling perfectly well at the time. Besides I have been eating three meals a day as long as I can remember and really want a change. I'm tired of eating.

The sailors were right. It has been so foggy all day that we have reduced our speed to seven knots and the fog whistle is blowing once a minute. We shall probably be a day or two overdue at Liverpool and then what will the folks at home say?

MONDAY, JUNE 20. A Frenchman and an Englishman were traveling together across the Channel.

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Tonight at 8:30 o'clock we passed the halfway line. We are in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 25. We have been a week on board and have enjoyed it all. In the morning the puzzle calls us up and we get ready for breakfast after a salt water bath. The meals are the best that can be prepared and everybody is kind and obliging. We sleep and eat and enjoy the changing view of the great ocean. We play games, we sing and visit. We do everything but work. These ten days on the water are a real vacation.

It is now eight o'clock in the evening and I am just starting for the dining room to attend a lecture. My watch says it is now 8 o'clock in the afternoon, Wisconsin time. I wonder what the folks at home are doing just now.

Our side won last night 28 to 8. Today we ran into a school of porpoises. Everything is interesting to people seven days out of sight of land and these porpoises outdid themselves in their clownish performances to please us.

SUNDAY, JUNE 26. We were awakened this morning by the bugler playing "Near My God to Thee" instead of the usual call. It is very quiet on shipboard today. We are all in our "best clothes." At 10:30 church services were held in the large dining room.

We shall see land tomorrow. Ireland will be on our left as we sail into St. George's Channel, and we are preparing to sing "Wearin' o' the Green," as soon as we sight land.

MONDAY, JUNE 27. Land! At 6:30 this evening, the welcome shout went up and we all rushed for the decks. Even the dinner was neglected for a time while we feasted our eyes on and again after ten days of nothing but ocean. The hills of "County Kerry" are a beautiful sight.

And this is Ireland,—the "auld land." From my youth up, I have wanted to visit this "green isle," and now although we shall not be permitted to land and "explore," we have at least seen some of her green hills, and pretty little villages bordering on the sea. There are lighthouses on dangerous rocks all along our course, and the Captain has set extra watches for our night voyage up the Channel. It is now past nine o'clock and still twilight. They say it will be dark at about ten o'clock.

TUESDAY, JUNE 28. We skirted the coast of Ireland all last night and this morning we have a new view of green grass on the hillsides as we pass. I have been talking with John Starkey our "Marconi man," Starkey is a well informed young Irishman and from him I have many interesting facts concerning his native country to which he is intensely patriotic. Sentiment would hold the young men to the "auld sod," but young wages for laborers compel them to leave. Most of them go to "the states." Farm hands and common laborers in cities command from fifty to seventy cents a day. Skilled workers receive less than a dollar a day and board themselves. America is to them the "land of gold," and many parents and grandparents are receiving money regularly from the boy or girl across the sea.

The English government recently passed a law granting, under certain conditions, the sum of five shillings, about \$1.20 a week to persons over sixty years of age. On applying for the law it was discovered that Ireland with a population of less than four millions will receive annually nearly seven millions of dollars due to the large proportion of old people on the island. Ireland is not an attractive country from a business standpoint, and her young people are leaving her.

But a better day is dawning for Ireland. The government is now buying off the English landholders in Ireland and allowing Irish tenants to purchase the farms upon which they live, and for which they have paid heavy rents so long. These farms may be paid for in small payments running through a number of years.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

John Young is spending a week in Milwaukee visiting with relatives.

Amos Hasbrouck transacted business in Chicago several days the past week.

Mrs. W. L. Lain returned on Friday from a visit with relatives in Green Bay.

Mrs. Mayme Dulin of Janesville is a guest at the Michael Dolan home this week.

Mrs. Edward Van Wie is spending the week in LaCrosse visiting with her parents.

Louis Lyomais visited with friends in Wausau and Merrill several days the past week.

Miss Bertha Gartner departed on Sunday night for a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Frank Kohl of Marshfield was a guest at the home of Mrs. John Hamm on Thursday.

Miss Matilda Klevene departed on Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Merrill.

Mrs. Felix LaPoint of Marshfield was a guest at the Seth Spafford home several days last week.

Mrs. Chas. Laramie and children departed on Friday for a week's visit with relatives in Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wagner returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Chillicothe.

Willard White, associate editor of the Marshfield News, was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

Remember H. W. Barker's Cough Remedy for that cough and sore throat. Johnson & Hill Co.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Urbanowski of Stevens Point were Sunday visitors at the Max Urbanowski home.

Mr. Richard Harvey departed on Saturday evening for a visit with relatives in Merrill and Tomahawk.

Mrs. Jos. Kuhl of Edgar is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Hoffetter on Fourth Ave. N.

Miss Tena Duchrow returned to Chicago on Sunday night after spending two weeks visiting with her parents.

Walter Wood returned home last Wednesday after a very pleasant month spent in the hay fields of Minnesota.

Miss Arlys Linderman of Colby was a guest at the home of her brother, J. H. Linderman several days the past week.

Atty. E. C. Pors, Deputy Sheriff John Schmitt and Dave Horney of Marshfield were in the city on Friday to attend a sheriff's sale.

Stevens Point Fair, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 23, 24, 25 and 26th, 1910. Make a note of it and go.

Walter Gardner departed on Friday night for Seattle, Wash., after spending a week in the city visiting with relatives and looking after some business matters.

Mrs. John Kollenda returned last week from Winona much improved in health, having been in the Winona hospital for some time where she submitted to a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Urbanowski moved into their new home on High street last week which has just been completed by John Kubisaki. The house is 26x34, two stories with a 14x20 wing.

John M. Teeling, who has had the management of the Hotel Lincoln at Merrill practically since it has been built, has severed his connections as manager and leaves for Youngstown, Ohio, where he will take the management of a large hotel.

Oscar Lind, who has been confined to his bed for several months with sickness, was able to come downtown for the first time last week. Although still very weak, Oscar is getting along nicely which is good news to his many friends about town.

Guns and ammunition, latest records of all kinds, talking machines, Ointery, toys and bicycles must be sold out at Geo. Krieger & Co.'s, opposite market square, west side, 26.

County Supt. Robt. Morris of Arpin was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday. Mr. Morris informed us that his father-in-law, Claus Johnson of Sigel, who is a patient at Augustana hospital at Chicago, where he was recently operated, is getting along nicely and will soon be able to return home, which is welcome news to Mr. Johnson's friends in this city.

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6:45 p.m. Three tugs are heading out to sea. The last word from home is a welcome telegram containing good wishes from thoughtful friends. The voyage is really beginning. During the past week we have been rubbing our eyes occasionally expecting to wake up from a pleasant dream, but the trip is a reality.

The Winifredian is an English boat. Its crew are all Englishmen with broad English accent. At the outset we are flying both the American flag and the Union Jack, but our flag will come down at the three mile limit and we shall be on "English soil" on the high seas.

The sailors say that it will probably be foggy, but it is so clear now that the passengers do not believe them. The sea is smooth, so I shall not be seasick I am sure.

SUNDAY, JUNE 19. I am not hungry today. No, not sick, but if you should see Bowland's store settle slowly twenty feet below grade level and Daly's drug store should rise correspondingly; and down the street the new Wood County National Bank building should try a two step and even a barn dance with Kruger & Warner's store I am sure you would ask Mr. Welch to take you home even if you were feeling perfectly well at the time. Besides I have been eating three meals a day as long as I can remember and really want a change. I'm tired of eating.

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CANADA'S NEW TOY.

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The Chicago public school authorities are preparing to establish a new high school course of two years, for the benefit of pupils who for financial reasons can remain no longer in the high schools. It is believed that by doing this many pupils who now go out into the business world from the district schools could be induced to take a special course of two years arranged with a view to their future employment. The development is in line with effort to strengthen the public schools as institutions for the preparation of young men and women for the practical work of life, and its outcome will be noted with interest by educators.

The rush to the newly-discovered gold fields of Alaska continues, and thousands are on their way, notwithstanding the certainty that many hardships and risk of failure to "make good" await them. And this in spite of that alleged discovery by a Scammon alchemist of a method for transmuting base metals into the precious varieties, with the supposed possibilities of cheapening values. Evidently the glamour of gold has not yet lost power to lure the adventurous.

Look over a crew of men in any place and it will be seen that black and the darker colors predominate in their clothes, no matter how hot the weather. Besides being unnecessarily uncomfortable they exert a depressing effect upon both wearer and beholder. A free use of colors in men's clothing would make the world a brighter place for most of us.

A Pennsylvania man has gone into bankruptcy with liabilities of \$1,446,773. Some of the actors who have gone into bankruptcy will be surprised to learn that his assets amount to considerably more than the price of an overcoat with a fur collar.

At a class dinner of a woman's college it developed that of the seniors fourteen were brides-to-be. This doesn't look as if Dan Cupid were worrying much over the higher education as a serious obstacle to his business.

Why can't people learn to say the "better" man won, instead of the "best" man, when but two contend? How can we hope to be a great people as long as the populace will be so careless?

Bethlehem, Pa., reports that the inventor of "pink circus lemonade" is dead. To have lived all these years, he himself couldn't have drunk much of it.

There is a German periodical called *Der Gesundheitsgenieur*. It must have trouble in finding room to put the picture of a girl on the front cover.

Two men in a New York town made their escape from jail by means of a safety razor. But it was a close shave.

When the mother birds are gadding about the little birds of today are learning to fly by watching the aeroplanes that Dayton, O., sends out and up.

If the comet was responsible for the unseasonable chills, many people would be glad if arrangements could be made for a return engagement.

Now England holdups are just as bad as those born in the west.

Count Zeppelin, aged 72, directed the first passenger air flight ever undertaken by man and brought it to a successful conclusion. Another solar plexus for the Osterland theory.

Some lose their heads in emergencies, others stick their heads out of car windows. It appears to be a matter of taste.

Now that aviation has become a craze all the time is fly time.

A New York couple has been making love by means of wireless messages. That is nothing. Our grandfathers used to know all about that.

"The Girl in the Kimono" is the title of one of the new summer shows. It is to be hoped that she is in something else also.

A Milwaukee woman has been left \$100,000 on condition that she marry. Luck certainly does favor some men.

AERONAUT IS HURT

WALTER BROOKINS' MACHINE CRASHES INTO CROWD OF SPECTATORS.

SEVEN SERIOUSLY INJURED

Presence of Mind Displayed by Aviator When Aeroplane Turns Turtle Probably Saves Many Lives—High Wind Causes Accident.

Ashbury Park, N. J.—Walter A. Brookins, the aviator, and seven spectators were seriously injured at the Interlaken Field Wednesday when Brookins, in a new type of Wright biplane, attempted to effect a landing in a high wind, after making a sensational flight.

George Burnett, fourteen years old, living at Spring Lake, N. J., was placed under the wreckage and is lying at the Long Branch hospital as the result of a fractured skull, dislocated hip and internal injuries.

Brookins, although pinned under the heavy motor, escaped with a broken nose, and contusions about the head and body. The accident might have cost many lives. If it had not been for Brookins' presence of mind, in order to inaugurate Ashbury Park's flying meet on schedule time, he went up shortly after four o'clock in a gusty wind, blowing at the rate of 30 miles an hour. As he was about to descend with one of his spectacular spiral turns he lost control of the machine. Flying directly over the grand stand the machine dived for the paneled wooden crowd.

Realizing that the result would be frightful if the craft fell on the spectators, caught like rats in a trap, Brookins managed to swing the machine around at an angle still more acute. But the aeroplane was too close to the ground to make the maneuver entirely successful. It barely cleared the heads of the wildly hysterical crowd, when it smashed into the grand stand at the end of the field. The groups of spectators there were unable to escape over a high wire fence designed to keep out the crowd. All of them were pinned under the wreckage.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN BOSTON

Property in Business Center of the City, Valued at \$2,000,000 is Destroyed.

Boston.—Driven by strong southwest gale fanned destroyed property valued at \$2,000,000 here Tuesday night and for time seriously threatened to wipe out the business and manufacturing part of the city.

A general alarm called all the fire companies to the scene and later a call for help was sent to Rockville, Chelmsford and Somerville and all the available fire fighting apparatus in those towns was rushed to the scene of the conflagration.

Two lumber yards, fifty tenement houses and the Dover street bridge were in flames at one time. Three pieces of fire apparatus were lost by the department because of the rush of the flames. Several firemen and many policemen had narrow escapes from serious injury. Many of the tenement house dwellers in the fire zone also had narrow escapes from the rapidly spreading flames. Hundreds of pounds of dynamite were used to blow up buildings on both Dover and Albany streets to stop the progress of the conflagration, which was sweeping toward Washington street and the general shopping and business district when it was checked. Whilst this fire was in progress another which threatened to be nearly as large raged in the wholesale district in the heart of the city.

PLEAD FOR POSTAL BANKS

Post Office Department Receive 55 Additional Requests From Postmasters and National Boards.

Washington.—Mails brought 65 additional requests to the post office department for establishment of postal banks. About half of them came from post masters, which is a larger proportion than has been shown up to date by the totals, which include 200 requests from postmasters and 923 from national boards. Among the applicants is the First National bank of Mount Olive, Ill., which asks to be designated as a depository for funds collected in that town and also at Stanton, which has no state or national bank; the First National bank of Kawartha, Ill., also is an applicant.

REWARD FOR RICE MURDERER

Friends of Cleveland Attorney Are Determined His Slayer Shall Be Captured.

Cleveland, O.—To stimulate the search for the murderer of Will L. Rice, the attorney who was shot down near his home in Euclid Heights Friday night, the reward for the apprehension of his assailant was increased to \$10,000.

In addition to the \$5,000 reward posted Saturday by Mr. Rice's law partners, William Nelson Cromwell of New York, who accompanied Mrs. Rice to Cleveland from an eastern summer resort, offered another \$5,000.

AMERICAN BOAT WINS CUP

Schooner Westward, Owned by New York Yachtman, Takes Gold Trophy at Cowes.

Cowes, Isle of Wight.—The American schooner Westward, owned by A. C. Cochran of New York, easily won the race for the International gold cup sailed off Ryde. Her nearest competitor, the Germania, owned by Lieut. Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, was five miles astern when the winner crossed the finish line. Emperor William's yacht Meteor, Cicely and the Susana also competed.

FLYER HITS AUTO; FIVE DIE

Lives of Baltimoreans Are Crushed Out at Railroad Crossing at Cape May, N. J.

Cape May, N. J.—Five lives of Baltimoreans were crushed out Tuesday when the express train on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad from Philadelphia struck the automobile carrying Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Mertz and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Mermann, and their chauffeur.

Mergenthaler's Son Killed.

Cape May, N. J.—Five persons were crushed to death Tuesday when an express train dashed into an automobile at a crossing on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad. Among the dead were Fritz Mergenthaler, son of the typewriter inventor, and his wife.

Boy Taken As Mail Robber.

New Orleans, La.—Edward Holman, twelve years old, was arrested at Hammond Wednesday and brought to New Orleans. He is charged with robbing several postoffices.

Bretrothal Story Is Denied.

New York.—Senate: Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia arrived in this city Tuesday and most emphatically denied the cabled reports from Italy that his daughter, Katherine, is engaged to the Duke of the Abruzzi.

Quarantine for Infantile Paralysis.

Kansas City, Mo.—More than \$4,000 worth of opium was taken from the tea store of Jim Long Tuesday by police who raided the place here. The drug was packed in a trunk ready for shipment.

Dog Gives Alarm as Mistress Dies.

Rockford, Ill.—Mrs. W. H. Shaw, wife of a pioneer Methodist minister, dropped dead in the orchard of her home here Saturday. The whining of her dog.

U. S. and Portugal Fix Tariff.

Lisbon.—A complete agreement in the tariff negotiations between Portugal and the United States was officially announced Saturday. Each nation grants the other the most favored nation treatment.

A Milwaukee woman has been left \$100,000 on condition that she marry. Luck certainly does favor some men.

GOE BARES LOBBY SECRETS

AGAIN REFERS TO SHERMAN IN LAND INQUIRY.

Mcmurray, the Alleged Promoter, Shown to Have Operated a Campaign of Telegrams.

McAlester, Okla.—Senator T. P. Gore at the investigation of the Indian land deal Tuesday introduced and had read to the special committee telegrams in which the names of Vice-President Sherman and Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas were named. One of the telegrams read:

"With McMurray there to state our claims, with Mr. Curtis and Mr. Sherman, who understands better than anybody else what we want, and with the assistance of our president, it begins to look like we are coming into our own."

Its relation to Senator Gore's charges of having been offered \$25,000 bribe to "put through" the congress \$30,000,000 McMurray Indian land deal was explained by the senator.

"It merely shows the activity of the McMurray interests at Washington," said Senator Gore. "By offering this evidence, I do not wish to reflect either on Mr. Sherman or Mr. Curtis," said the senator.

"Do you mean that as an exonerator from you of Mr. Sherman?" asked Dennis Flynn, attorney for McMurray. "It is merely to state that if the names of these men were taken in vain at one time they may have been at another," replied Mr. Gore.

McAlester, Okla.—Six hundred Indians assembled at a "war council" at Sulphur, Okla., and, using up almost an entire bottle of ink, wrote their signatures individually to the McMurray land contracts.

Although informed that J. F. McMurray, holder of the contracts, would not profit from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 in "attorneys' fees," the Indians were advised that the contracts afforded the quickest way to realize on their land, estimated to be 450,000 acres in extent, and valued at \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000. In addition to the land contracts, McMurray's agents had the Indians sign contracts for tax cases against the government at a stated fee for each case. The land fee was 10 per cent, contingent upon the sale of the land.

James H. Godfrey, Chickasaw Indian by intermarriage, gave this testimony before the congressional investigating committee Wednesday.

Godfrey said he induced the Indians to assemble at Sulphur to persuade them to sign the contracts, almost 10,000 of which McMurray previously obtained.

McMurray, he said, had been successful in previous litigation for the Indians and the Indians believed if they paid him 10 per cent, attorneys' fees, he would be able to urge the authorities at Washington to expedite the sale.

TREASURY FIGURES SHOW AD- VANCE OVER BANNER YEAR.

In First Twelve Months Act Produces \$75,000,000 More Than in 1907.

Washington.—The Payne-Aldrich tariff law has produced in its first year a revenue larger by \$75,000,000 than the sum collected in any twelve months in the country's history, except the banner year 1907, according to treasury department figures issued Monday.

Second day will begin with reports from secretaries of state groups, followed by an address on "Banking and Commercial Credits" by F. H. McAdow, president of the National Association of Credit Men, Chicago. Various phases of the subject, "Segregation of Savings Deposits" will then be discussed by Assemblyman Platt Whitman, Highland; C. R. Thomson, Richland Center, and C. R. Carpenter, Racine. M. A. Graettinger, Milwaukee, will discuss "Bank Examinations Under Association Supervision." A discussion of "Taxation of Bank Stock" will occupy much of the time Thursday afternoon, in which Nils P. Haugen, member of the state tax commission; H. A. Heschpahn and Attorney A. E. Matheson, Janesville, will participate.

Officers will be elected following the report of the committee on resolutions. Immediately after adjourning the meeting, members of the American Bankers' association will elect a vice-president for Wisconsin and a member of the nominating committee of that association.

SAYS SEINING WILL NOT DESTROY CROP.

Prof. George Wagner of the University of Wisconsin, an acknowledged expert on everything that relates to fish life, states that in his opinion ten years of seining in the lakes of Madison would fail to make any appreciable difference in the supply of carp.

Capt. G. W. Rickeman, state game warden, insists that constant seining soon will exterminate the large carp and in time will reduce to a minimum the number of these fish in the lakes and streams around Madison. He also insists that the carp do more harm to game fish than possibly can be done by the use of large seines. Prof. Wagner, in a polite way, intimates that Mr. Rickeman does not know what he is talking about.

"My opinion you could seize these lakes for the next ten years and fail to make an appreciable impression upon the number of carp," declared Prof. Wagner.

"In the majority of cases all the fish that are caught in a carp seine die of injuries," declared the university expert. "You can imagine how much chance a game fish would have in a draw of fighting carp. When a single scale is bruised a fungus growth develops and causes death. It does not much to tear the gill of a pickerel or a pike and an injury of this kind is almost certain to prove fatal."

For Democratic candidate for member of congress in the Fifth district petitions containing the names of 525 voters are filed for W. J. Murray of Waukesha.

WISCONSIN PATENTS.

The following list of patents recently granted to Wisconsin inventors is reported: Fred D. Barnes, Milwaukee, parachute gun; H. W. Cheney, Milwaukee, motor controller; Henry Christensen, Tomah, cream ripener; Byron H. Cooley, Campbell, sign; William D. Everett, Tomahawk, chisel; James F. Forrest, Milwaukee, boiler; Arthur J. Johnson, Milwaukee; J. S. Wozalla, Stevens Point, mattress; Walter F. McGregor, Racine, pneumatic stacker; Robert A. McKee, Milwaukee, turbine packing; John Melzer and H. J. Rademacher, Milwaukee, canary; casket; William A. Nieman, Milwaukee, horse-shoe; Frederick W. Rogers, Beaver Dam, store top; Rudolph Schlettner, Milwaukee, steam turbine; Wallace L. Selleck, Burlington, pencil attachment; Solomon R. and William L. Wagg, Appleton, driving mechanism for paper refining engines; Frederick A. Wagner, Milwaukee, cabin; John Welsh, Green Bay, cabinet and paper therefor.

MIAMI RAILROAD TAX PAYMENTS.

Another draft for \$100,000 was received by the state treasury department from the St. Paul Railroad company. This makes \$200,000 received from the company in two days.

STATE PARK BOARD ACTS.

Deputy Attorney General Jackson asked Judge Stevens to enjoin the American Refractories company, Joliet, Ill., from blasting stone on property near Devil's lake.

The state park board wants to utilize the land about the lake for a state park.

The company owns about eighty acres of the land and maintains that the stone is valuable for use in connection with its manufacture of brick.

Few Lincoln County Lands Sold.

State Treasurer Dahl states that the sales of state lands in Lincoln county amounted to \$1,600.

STATE MEAT CONTRACTS.

The state board of control let the contract for meat supplies for the ten penal and charitable institutions of the state to Armour & Co., Chicago, for three months. The rate is \$7,525.49 per month. The rate in the last contract was \$8,641.69 per month. The principal reduction is in the price of the state fair speed barns, secured by Frank T. Andrus, West Allis.

Mr. Andrus asks that the board, the contractors and State Treasurer Dahl, jointly, be prevented from building the barns within 600 feet of his West Allis residence.

The National Mercantile Keting and Credit company, an Arizona corporation, with \$285,990 capital and \$25,000 interest in Wisconsin, filed a state suit for a permanent injunction against the state fair speed barns, secured by Frank T. Andrus, West Allis.

Mr. Andrus is engaged to the Duke of the Abruzzi.

WIRE FRANKS CALLED IN.

The TALLEST TREE THAT GROWS

In THESE days, when the reforesting of the waste lands of our country is becoming a question of much national importance, the study of the relative value of different species of trees is naturally very essential.

Scientific parties are scouring the earth in search for new plants, fruits and vegetables to add to our enjoyment and happiness. A good degree of success has already attended their efforts, and doubtless much more will yet be accomplished by them.

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In the case of the eucalyptus this has already been done, and so extensively is the tree now grown in California, and so many and valued are its uses, that it will be news to multitudes to hear that there still live many who remember when it was first brought into that state.

Two Letters Demanded \$500, With Death Threatened Upon Refusal.

WAUPACA. Three boys were arrested on the charge of attempting to secure \$500 from E. L. Devine by blackmail methods. They are Elmer Maynard, Charles Swanson and Charles Hanson.

Last week Mr. Devine received a letter demanding that he leave \$500 in a package near the back door to a store and threatening him with death on refusal to comply with the demand.

This letter appeared to have been written on rural route No 2. The police and mayor were notified and later the letter was sent to the post-office authorities in Washington.

A second letter of the same purport was received by Mr. Devine, who had not complied with the first demand. Mayor Paronto instructed Mr. Devine to obey the orders in the letter and leave a \$500 package at the place indicated. Mr. Devine followed out the man's plan.

The story of the Hanson boy is said to place the blame on the Maynard boy. He says the three boys were in Hoffmeyer's saloon and stepped out to the rear, that Maynard hit his pipe, depending on the light to see if the package was there. He is said to have picked it up so skilfully that the other two boys did not know it and the officers near did not observe his action.

When the boys left, the officers discovered that the package was gone. They took after the boys and Maynard and Swanson are now in the county jail. The missing package, it is said, was found in Maynard's pocket.

AN ALLEGED SHORTAGE

Bondsmen Charge That Accounts of Late Robert A. Etter Show a Deficit of \$1,840.

MONROE. — That there is a shortage of \$1,840 in the accounts of the late Robert A. Etter, postmaster, is the allegation of his bondsmen, who have asked the court to restrain his heirs. Mr. Etter's daughter, from taking possession of any of the estate, consisting mainly of the insurance in the Woodmen order.

It is also alleged that the estate is in debt to the amount of about \$15,000.

The alleged shortage in the post-office accounts is said to have been discovered by J. P. Walker, a government post-office inspector.

J. B. Trout and Henry Ladlow, bondsmen, petitioned the court and, according to George E. Thorpe was appointed administrator.

The allegation of the shortage makes worse the confusion in regard to the postoffice here. Congressman Cooper appointed as a successor to Mr. Etter, Emery Odell, but the senate held up the appointment. Mr. Etter had been a candidate for re-appointment.

Smith is Great Sachem.

Eau Claire.—The great council of the Red Men adjourned after electing the following officers:

Great sachem—Phil Smith, Milwaukee.

Great senior sagamore—J. S. Conley, Superior.

Great junior sagamore—S. L. Burdick, La Crosse.

Great prophet—Charles Griffith, Ashland.

Great chief of records—John Mell, Cochrane.

Great keeper of wampum—J. E. Langdon, La Crosse.

Great representative—C. W. Kane, Superior.

Great board of appeals—G. H. Daubner, Waukesha.

Great trustees—Clarence Carroll, Superior; A. D. Burnett, Galeville.

Great judiciary committee—James Caylor, Racine; G. W. Taylor, Kenosha; Con Felge, Eau Claire.

Choice of the next place of meeting was left with the new officers, decision to be made before January next.

Sends Out Certificates.

MADISON.—Secretary of State Jas. A. Frear certified to the county clerks of the state the names of the candidates who have qualified properly in his office and are entitled to places on the ballot in the primary election on Sept. 6.

The letter contains some instructions to the county clerks. Summarized, they are as follows:

The names of all candidates certified must appear on the ballot.

The names of the candidates must be rotated by preference and not arranged alphabetically as heretofore.

The full name and address of each voter must be taken at the polls.

Only one party committeeman may be chosen in each precinct, excepting in Milwaukee, where three may be elected.

Eudalyptus reproduce readily by both seeds and sprouts. The trees bear seed in abundance annually, and under favorable conditions natural reproduction is freely established.

Trees also sprout vigorously from both the stump and the roots, either after cutting or in response to injury. In California commercial groves are almost invariably reproduced by sprouts.

Plantations should be started with young trees and not by direct sowing. The opinion is generally held that eudalyptus seedlings are so difficult to raise that their propagation is impracticable except for expert nurseries.

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"But that isn't how it's done; it doesn't make any difference if we travel on a through express, we frequently find that a brand new story we heard in Philadelphia has reached San Francisco ahead of us."

"The explanation is simple enough," said the old telegrapher. "It simply means that electricity is faster than steam; while you were traveling to 'Frisco on the railroad the joke was

out of a job."

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tures of the old world, gave up that pleasure for fear of shipwreck, or the discomforts of the Atlantic voyage, and people yet living can remember when prayers were said in the churches for those about to sail for Europe. How different things are at present is shown by the fact that wrecks are now few and far between. The larger ships are as safe and steady as hotels on shore. Aside from

the increasing size of the ocean gray-bounds, the feeling of safety on board is due to the invention of the wireless, which in several recent instances has brought help in time to save passengers on sinking ships.

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Stobe.

Home Life in Kansas.

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Old Men at Play

Missouri Village Has a Marble

Craze That Occupies Attention.

Men Now Past Sixty Who Find Delight in the Playthings of Their Early Years.

Blue Springs Mo. Henshaw Aw-shucks! Horseshoes do well enough to furnish a light diversion now and then, but for a serious game of honest work and skill, Blue Springs believes no game is half as good as old fashioned marbles.

For two years the boys and men of Blue Springs representatives from all of Shakespeare's seven ages have been playing marbles the year round, each month with increasing skill.

There is a legend that Uncle Dan Stanley, who is seventy-four, and Uncle Tom Holden, who is seventy-five, were in events matched in a contest arranged last winter that they lagged from law for two days without either man winning an advantage of half an inch in the stringing of a marble; the privilege of having the first shot, and the content had to be decided a draw before it began.

Rule-of-the-hands team ten year olds, fifteen, twenty-five forty, or seventy-five year old teams, in any other age that a challenger may prefer, can be furnished by Blue Springs on five minutes notice. Blue Springs challenges the world.

Just how marbles got started here no one appears to remember. Possibly some gray-bearded citizen of the town sat on a nail keg in front of Pryor's blacksmith shop a spring day two years ago and got to thinking while he watched the "kids" playing marbles in the street, that he used to be a pretty fair hand at that game himself in days before the war. Then he went out and knocked a "middle" from "taw" or "ahum" did and went back and bragged about it to everybody else. And that other person

Sport in Blue Springs, Mo.

used to be pretty fair, too, in other days, and went out to see what he could do. Then every one got started.

But whatever the beginning may have been, there can be no doubt that the game has taken complete possession of Blue Springs and that Pryor's shop is the headquarters. Rain or shine, winter or summer, there is a game every day in the shop or in the street just in front of it. Last winter, when the thermometer stood near zero, a game was played in which all of the contestants wore overcoats. When those men began blowing on their knuckles to keep them warm there was a sound like a siren.

Even "games" are necessary to win.

Knock the middle marble out the first shot and the game is yours. Such a shot is called a "middle."

Knock any marble out and you must

clear the ring—knock all the others too, to win the game.

If your marble stays in the square after the first shot, you are "fat," or "dead" for the rest of the game.

If some one else hits your law you are dead for the rest of the game.

Lynn Pryor, the blacksmith, stood at law, took careful aim and from 10 feet away spotted the middle of the square. One game for Pryor and Binger. But nobody got excited. Midfliers from time to time ordinary occurrences in Blue Springs. John Henry Moore holds a record of having knocked out 11 of such midfliers in 14 shots.

A minute later Uncle Dan Stanley knocked a middle. Capt. George Webb, the furniture dealer and undertaker, did the same thing, too, as soon as he had the chance. So did Farmer George Binger. They don't do so all the time, of course, but midfliers came when there was a game in which all four men had a chance to shoot, other players just as remarkable for distance and accuracy were taken by the gallery at the blacksmith shop door as matter of course.

"You must understand," the blacksmith said, "that if a man comes with a horse to be shot, the game stops instantaneously. But when there's nothing going on, somebody is sure to start a game. Farmers come in on rainy days, sometimes from several miles around, and some of them are good hands at marbles."

Conclusive.

The girl with the blonde hair and

the dark girl with the dimples were

making various purchases pre-

paratory to their summer vacation.

When it came to buying suits there

was a disagreement. The girl with

the blonde hair wanted to select a de-

cidedly abbreviated costume, and the

dark girl with the dimples was trying

to dissuade her.

Madison.—The farmers of Waukesha and adjoining counties will meet at the state industrial school

on Tuesday, August 16, to witness

fire insurance underwriters announce

material reduction in fire risk for

residence risks, which will take effect at once.

Kenosha.—The annual reunion

of the Old Settlers' club of Keno-

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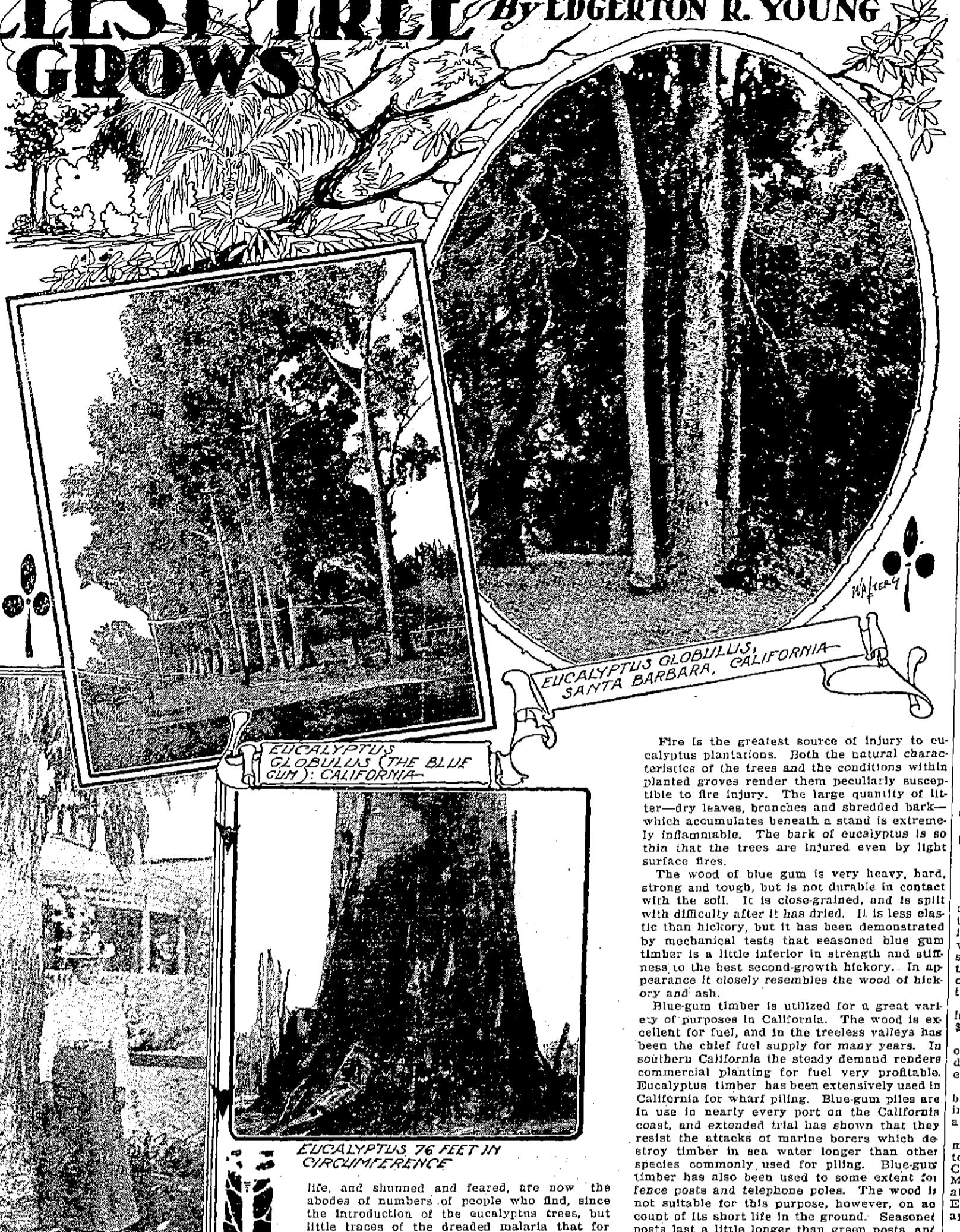
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EUCALYPTUS VIMINALIS: CALIFORNIA

by the late Bishop Taylor from distant Australia, its original home.

It was a surprise, as well as a revelation, to find on our recent visit to Australia that in that far-away land, under the Southern Cross, were growing trees that towered in the air 150 feet higher than the great Sequoia, the famous red wood of our American west; and yet such is the fact, as some specimens of the Eucalyptus amygdalina reach to the great height of 400 feet. Specimens about that are from 120 to 200 feet in circumference. They are practically of no use for commercial purposes, as the expense of cutting down such enormous trees and getting their logs split up into pieces that can be handled is so great that these monsters are passed by the timber lumbermen for the smaller ones that are more easily handled.

The Eucalyptus amygdalina is the tallest, if not perhaps the largest, tree that grows. Specimens over 400 feet high are frequently found, while some have been measured towering up to 470 and 480 feet. The timber of these great specimens is easily worked, and, as it does not warp, is much used in carpentry.

The eucalyptus tree is a genus of trees and shrubs of the natural order of Myrtaceae, embracing about 150 species. All but four of them are natives of Australia and Tasmania only. The eucalyptus trees are so abundant in many parts of Australia that over vast areas they are practically the only trees visible. The fact that the fully developed trees are destined of symmetry and beauty robes the great Australian wooded regions of that attractive-ness and charm which gives such pleasure and delight to the primitive forests of America.

One striking characteristic of several varieties of the eucalyptus is that, while they never seem to shed their leaves, they cast or slough off their bark in long strips every year. The leaves, which have a leathery appearance, contain a considerable quantity of volatile oil. The structure of oil extracted from them has a bitter aromatic taste and is extensively used as a remedy for various diseases.

On the young shoots of many species the leaves in pairs are opposite to each other, as they appear on ordinary plants, while on the older branches the leaves are arranged alternately and grow in such a way that they prevent their edges to the sun. This seems to be nature's provision to protect them from the

Send Good Joke Down Line

Telegraphers Said to Be Responsible for Quick Way That Stories Travel.

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"But I'm afraid that stories won't circulate now as quickly as they used

to. You see, the companies have wakened up to the fact that many of their wires are idle during the night, and so they have instituted the 'night letter' service—telegraphing at night a 50-word message at the same price that dispatches a 10-word message to the day."

An Insinuation.

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Sheboygan.—Raymond Harkins, the 12 year old son of Dennis Harkins, Russell township, had two fingers and the thumb blown off from his left hand by the premature explosion of a dynamite cartridge with which he was playing.

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Waupaca.—Three boys were arrested on the charge of attempting to secure \$500 from E. L. Devine by blackhand methods. They are Elmer Maynard, Charles Swalby, and Charlie J. H. Last week Mr. Devine received a letter demanding that he leave \$500 in a package near the back door to a store and threatening him with death on refusal to comply with the demand.

Elmer's letter appeared to have been mailed on a rural route, No. 2. The police and mayor were notified and later the letter was sent to the post office authorities in Washington.

A second letter of the same purport was received by Mr. Devine, who had not complied with the first demand. Mayor Paronto instructed Mr. Devine to obey the orders in the letter and leave. J. H. Devine, at the post office, threatened to shoot him if he did not leave.

The story of the Hansen boy is said to place the blame on the Maynard boy. He says the three boys were in Hofschröer's saloon and stepped out to the rear; that Maynard lit his pipe, depending on the light to see if the package was there. It is said he picked it up and saw that the other two boys did not know it and the officers near did not observe his action.

When the boys left, the officers discovered that the package was gone. They took after the boys and Maynard and Swalby are now in the county jail. The dummy package, it is said, was found in Maynard's pocket.

AN ALLEGED SHORTAGE

Bondsmen Charge That Accounts of Late Robert A. Etter Show a Deficit of \$1,840.

Monroe.—That there is a shortage of \$1,840 in the accounts of the late Robt. A. Etter, postmaster, in the allegation of his bondsmen, who have asked the court to restrain him from selling his office.

It is also alleged that the estate is in debt to the amount of about \$15,000.

The alleged shortage in the post office accounts is said to have been discovered by J. P. Walker, a government postmaster.

B. T. Lambert, of Ludlow, Ludlow, petitioned the court and, in accordance, George E. Thorpe was appointed administrator.

The allegation of the shortage makes worse the confusion in regard to the postoffice here. Congressman Cooper of Indiana, a successor to Senator Emory Clegg, but the senator held on to the appointment, Mr. Etter had been a candidate for reappointment.

Smith is Great Sachem.

Eau Claire.—The great council of Red Men adjourned after electing the following officers:

Great sachem—Phil Smith, Milwaukee.

Great senior sagamore—J. S. Conkey, Superior.

Great junior sagamore—S. L. Burkhardt, La Crosse.

Great prophet—Charles Griffith, Ashland.

Great chief of records—John Mell, Cochrane.

Great keeper of wampum—J. E. Landon, La Crosse.

Great representative—G. W. Kane, Superior.

Great board of appeals—G. H. Daubner, Waukesha.

Great trustees—Clarence Carroll, Superior; A. D. Burnett, Galesville.

Great judiciary committee—James Clegg, Racine; G. W. Taylor, Menomonie; Con. Fudge, Eau Claire.

Choice of the next place of meeting was left with the new officers, decision to be made before January next.

Sends Out Certificates.

Madison.—Secretary of State Jas. A. Frear certified to the county clerks of the state the names of the candidates who have qualified properly in the election to be entitled to places on the ballot in the primary election on Sept. 6.

The letter contains some instructions to the county clerks. Summarized, they are as follows:

The names of all candidates certified must appear on the ballot.

The names of the candidates must be rotated by precincts and not arranged in alphabetical or geographic order.

The full name and address of each voter must be taken at the polls.

Only one party committee may be chosen in each precinct, excepting in Milwaukee, where three may be elected.

Hurt in Runaway.

New Richmond.—Several members of a carriage load of Star Prairie people were injured in a runaway in that town. The team took flight at an automobile and the driver was unable to control them. Gordon Renwick, a 16-year-old, fractured one leg and was injured severely. Mrs. Thomas Cronston had a collar bone broken and was bruised about the neck, arms and shoulders. Mrs. Gordon Renwick and infant daughter and Thomas Armstrong were thrown clear of the wreck and escaped uninjured.

R. S. Stevens Dies.

Chippewa Falls.—Benjamin S. Stevens, died from a paralytic stroke which seized him last Friday. He was 80 years old. He is survived by a wife and two sons. The octogenarian was director of the Eagle Point Fire Insurance company.

Kenosha Banker Weds.

Kenosha.—Mathias G. Boerner, assistant cashier of the First National bank, was married here to Miss Blanche Phillips, a daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Phillips.

Dynamite Hurts Boy.

Sheboygan.—Raymond Harkins, the 12 year old son of Dennis Harkins, Russell township, had two fingers and the thumb blown off from his left hand by the premature explosion of a dynamite cartridge with which he was playing.

Manitowoc.—Brown, under a binder which he was driving from the field, Joseph Tesarik, aged fifty, a Kosouth farmer, was badly mangled and sustained injuries which may prove fatal. The seat broke and the wheels backed over him. His chest was crushed.

The Rev. Court Resigns.

Superior.—The Rev. F. W. Court has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Cummings Avenue Methodist church after a five years pastorate. His resignation takes effect on Aug. 31.

STATE NEWS

Madison.—Lyle Briggs, who was held by the police in connection with the death of John W. Vaughn, was released following the verdict of the coroner's jury that the death of Vaughn was accidental. Both men were in the employ of the Madison Gas & Electric company and got into a dispute over the weight of a wheelbarrow of coke. Testimony at the inquest showed that Vaughn struck the first blow. In the struggle that followed both men fell 18 feet down an elevator shaft. Briggs escaped with a few scratches on his face but Vaughn received internal injuries which resulted fatally. Vaughn was 65 years old. His wife died only two weeks ago.

Omro.—At the meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church, a resolution was passed calling upon Rev. Daniel Woodward, pastor of the church, to return to his charge at once and by inference demanding that he cease his speaking on the stump in this campaign. Mr. Woodward is out on the stump in behalf of Francis E. McGovern as a gubernatorial candidate and is, in his speeches, declaring that he considers the issue of "representative government" which he claims McGovern stands for is more important than the issue of county option, to which Mr. McGovern is opposed. He stands an anti-optionist.

New London.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holden celebrated their golden wedding in the home of their son, C. E. Holden, in this city. Mr. Holden was born in Royalston, Mass., and Mrs. Holden in Keene, N. H. They came to Sheboygan Falls in 1862, where they lived up to 20 years ago. They then moved to Port Washington, where they lived up to a few weeks ago, when they moved to New London.

Green Bay.—A family took place at the home of J. Lambert, when his brothers, Joseph and Peter, whom he had not seen for twenty-five years, arrived in the city from Chicago. The brothers of Lambert learned the whereabouts of their brother in this city about a week ago, through seeing his name in a directory. Mr. Lambert came to this country from Europe a number of years before his brothers and in some manner they lost all trace of him, and believed him dead.

La Crosse.—Edward Stendam and Charles Burns are held at police headquarters following an automobile chase, suspected of being implicated in a post office robbery in some northwest city. Police were notified from Midway that two strangers were offering large quantities of postage stamps for sale. A detachment of police hurried to Midway in an auto. Both refused to talk.

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Waukesha.—The third annual tournament of the firemen of Marquette and Waukesha counties was held at Westfield, with an attendance of 5,000. Fire companies and bands from here participated.

Superior.—Officials of the Hey-Petterson company and the police spent all day tracing possible clues to the dynamiting of the Philadelphia & Reading dock Monday night, but without result.

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W. Weisel of Merrill spent several days in the city the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Bernth.

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Dr. George Witter of San Jose, Calif., is paying an extended visit in this city at the home of Mrs. J. D. Witter.

Louis Roichel, Jr., who has been at Lancaster for several weeks visiting with relatives, returned home on Thursday.

Melvin Reynolds departed Sunday for his home in Fall River after spending a few days with friends in Grand Rapids.

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Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thompson and baby arrived home yesterday after visiting for a few weeks at Milwaukee.

Berny St. Denis expects to open up his saloon in the Clancy building September 1st.

W. Warner departed on Thursday evening for Northfield, Minn., where he expects to spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rezin have been entertaining company from Canada.

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Confirmation services were held in the Moravian church last Sunday, Lydia Winger, Clara Korslin and Thomas Johnson were confirmed.

Wm. Hanau now holds a good position in the West Allis shop and wants to be remembered to all his friends.

The item which appeared in this column last week stating that Theo. Benson had joined the Catholic church is a misstatement and Mr. Benson takes this means of denying same.

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Rev. F. A. Nimitz, a former pastor of the M. E. church, has purchased the John B. McDonald home in Stevens Point. It is Mr. Nimitz' intention of moving his family back to Stevens Point this fall.

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Alfred Moisner spent Sunday in Wausau.

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